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To Whom it may concern:

I would strongly urge you to settle this matter on terms favorable to Microsoft. Without companies like MS, the future of this country's ability to compete and lead in important economic areas will be severely restricted.

I grant anyone the argument that there are warts all over Microsoft but they pale in comparison to the great good that MS brought to the computer industry years ago when a standard operating system didn't exist and those, like myself, who were into the infant personal computer craze wondered how anyone outside a big company could ever use one? It was too hard to buy a CPM based machine like I did then watch things go over to DOS and then wonder if Apple was going to really be "it" after all.

DOS did make it and the rest is history. Without Bill Gates imposing the industry standards, regardless of whether anyone agrees with how he did it, this country would still be doing things with pen and paper on ledger sheets.

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